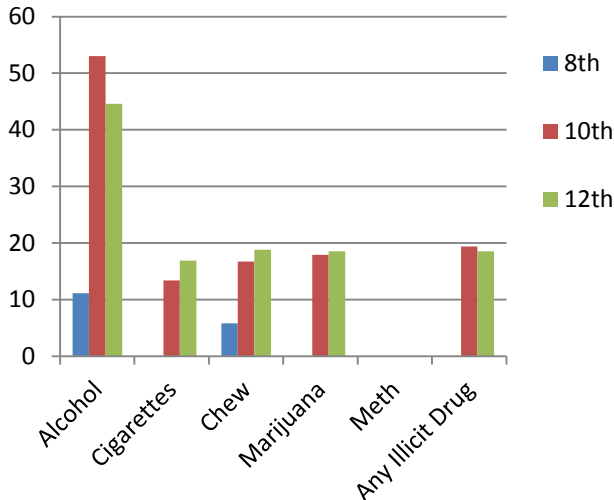


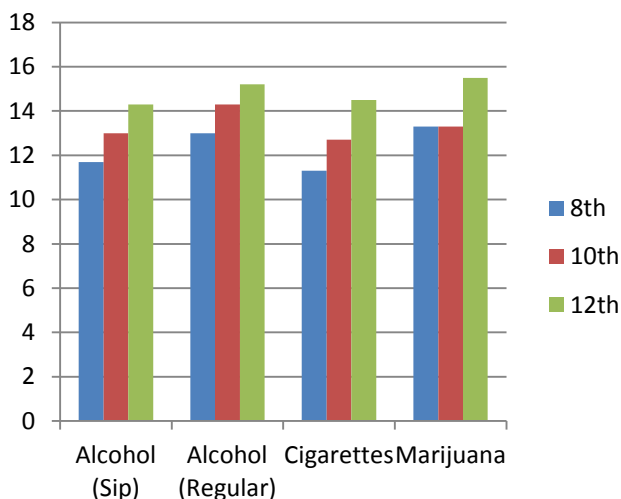
DAWSON COUNTY

The Addictive and Mental Disorders' Chemical Dependency Bureau provides chemical dependency treatment and prevention activities throughout the state based upon the current data available. This is a snapshot of substance abuse in Dawson County.

Percent of Dawson County youth who have used the following in 2012 on ONE OR MORE DAYS IN THE LAST 30 DAYS...



Average age of initiation for Dawson County youths in 2012



From July 2012 – June 2013:

- 77 adults and 20 youths from Dawson County received state-approved chemical dependency treatment services.
- Of these 97 people, 17 were women with dependents or pregnant women.

The main drugs of choice for Dawson County are:

Drug	# Adults	# Kids	% of Total
Alcohol	38	9	48%
Marijuana	14	9	24%
Other Opiates	14	1	15%
Meth	9	1	10%
All Other Illicit Drugs	2	0	2%
			100%

From July 2012 – June 2013 State Block Grant funds paid for 46 hours of prevention services for at least 42 people in Dawson County.

The following is the projected need for treatment of individuals meeting State Block Grant eligibility requirements (200% of poverty) for Dawson County:

Age: 10-17 1,712		18-44 2,575		44+ 4,203	
Alcohol	Drugs	Alcohol	Drugs	Alcohol	Drugs
86	51	212	79	388	74

The percent of Dawson County youth engaged in binge drinking in the last two weeks, according to the 2012 PNA, are:

8 th Grade	10 th Grade	12 th Grade
9%	18%	46%

In 2012, Dawson County had:

- 46 drug/narcotic offenses
- 102 DUIs
- 77 liquor law violations